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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor application of : Franck Badets, et al.
Serial No. : 10/603,579
Filed : June 25, 2003
For : VARIABLE PHASE-SHIFTING CIRCUIT, PHASE
INTERPOLATOR INCORPORATING IT, AND DIGITAL
FREQUENCY SYNTHESIZER INCORPORATING SUCH
AN INTERPOLATOR
Group No. : 2816
Examiner : Tuan Thieu Lam
Confirmation No. : 4869

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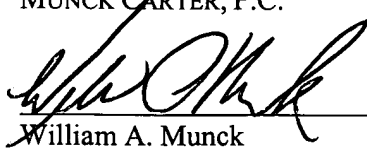
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the final Office Action dated August 5, 2008 and of the Advisory Action dated September 29, 2008 finally rejecting Claims 1, 2, 24-29 and 33-36.

A check in the amount of \$540.00 is enclosed in payment of the Notice of Appeal filing fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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